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TO THE COLORED CITIZENS OF  
PENDER COUNTY.  
BURGAW, Pender County, N. C., Jan. 21st, 1882.

There will be a convention of the colored citizens of Pender county at Burgaw, at 11 o'clock a. m. on the 11th day of February next, for the purpose of taking steps looking to the enforcement of the rights of the colored citizens in the courts. The colored citizens of the various townships will please hold meetings on the 4th day of February, at 12 m. for the purpose of electing delegates to said convention.

ALFRED LLOYD,  
G. W. CARR,  
W. MCINTIRE,  
J. B. McCLEEE.

I approve of the above call.

A. V. HORRELL,  
Chairman Rep. Com.

Major General Hancock has been in Washington for a few days.

The National Board of Health has been in session for the past week at Willard's Hotel, in Washington.

Vice President Davis has introduced a bill in the Senate to retire Judge Hunt of the U. S. Supreme Court.

Mr. L. G. Martin has been appointed supervising special agent of the U. S. Treasury Department, in place of Mr. A. K. Tingle, relieved.

Sherman's funding bill seems to give the Democrats great trouble. Sherman is too much for the Democratic party, and has been for years.

The Star Route cases are being tried in Washington. Attorney-General Worcester has taken hold of the cases with an earnestness that means trouble to the offenders.

Guiteau's case will probably be submitted to the jury by Thursday next. Mr. Porter, for the prosecution will wind up the argument, and then the Judge will charge the jury, when he will retire and bring in a verdict of guilty, it is to be hoped.

Albert H. Dowell, Esq., has just commenced the publication, in Raleigh, N. C., of an independent political paper. We have heard considerable of independent papers, they do not as a general thing last very long, but we hope this will be an exception to the rule. We wish Mr. Dowell success in his enterprise.

The leading colored citizens of Pender county have very properly taken hold of the matter of enforcing their rights in the courts, and have called a county convention, to be held on the 11th of February next, at Burgaw, N. C. We hope all the townships will look after this matter at once, and Mr. Horrell, chairman of the Republican Committee will approve of the call. Horrell is always on the right side.

Henry Bacon, Esq., the mischievous of the river and harbor improvements, has finally moved his headquarters to this city. We suppose, his superior officer has done this for the purpose of making it more pleasant for him. Well, if Henry will also change his manner of conducting government affairs, as well as his base of operations, he may be this to affect a long time of faithful service, but live the bad conduct he was guilty of at Smithville.

Mr. Gilbert Kidder has purchased a large lot of timber land up on the Carolina Central Railroad, and has established a very large saw mill near that road, and we learn is manufacturing lumber rapidly. He is a young man of exceedingly great energy, and will make a fortune where many men would starve. If we had more Kidder's North Carolina would be prosperous. When most of our people turn to take their second nap, he has done half a day's work. It is the man who attends to his own business who makes the money. The man who does not get up until the breakfast bell rings is not to be trusted—and our city and state is full of them. If we could trade off some hundred thousands of them for a few hundred young, active driving men, like Mr. Gil. Kidder, we would have a state worth living in. And while on this subject we wish to particularly mention the case of a young lawyer, who had an excellent practice, but he has much great opportunities for young men of enterprise that he quit his practice and purchased land in North Carolina, and is now making money, and also money. In place of living around the city, picking up small fees, he is working from 5 o'clock in the morning until 7 o'clock at night. He has a wife, healthy, mainly look, and is making a fortune. God will bless such men as Alex. London and Gilbert Kidder. Let us have more of them.

Military Order, Loyal Legion United States

HEADQUARTERS, COMMANDERY,  
STATE OF NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, January 5, 1882.

I.—At a stated meeting of this Commandery held at Delmonico's, corner of Fifth avenue and Twenty-sixth street, on Wednesday evening, January 4th, 1882, the following Report of a committee appointed to draft resolutions relative to the death of Companion Abbott, was adopted:

REPORT.  
Brevet Brigadier General Joseph C. Abbott, late Colonel 7th New Hampshire Volunteers, and ex-United States Senator from North Carolina, died at Wilmington, N. C., October 8th, 1881, in the fifty-seventh year of his age.

His name was among the first enrolled upon the list of membership of this Order. He was born at Concord, N. H., July 16th, 1826, and having studied law, was called to the bar in 1852. From 1852 to 1857 he owned and edited the *Marble Guardian*. He was Quartermaster General of the state of New Hampshire from 1855 to 1861, and in the latter year raised a regiment of volunteers for the war, in which he served as Lieutenant Colonel. In 1863 he was made Colonel. In 1865 he was brevetted a Brigadier General for gallant services in the capture of Fort Fisher. After the war of the rebellion he became a citizen of North Carolina, and engaged in the lumber business in that state. He was a delegate to the state constitutional convention in 1867, and was elected to the state legislature in 1868, and in the same year was elected a Senator in the Congress of the United States for the term ending 1871. He served on the committees of Manufactures, Military Affairs, the Pacific Railroad and Enrolled Bills. This chivalric soldier, accomplished gentleman, man of letters, general companion and generous friend, not only unsheathed his sword in defense of his country, but also rendered important service in her councils.

The Companions of this Order cherish the memory of the high distinction and unflinching patriotism which characterized the life of General Joseph C. Abbott, and tender their warmest sympathies to his family, and desire that this tribute of respect be inscribed upon the records and be published in the usual manner.

HENRY C. LOCKWOOD,  
Brevet Major U. S. Vol.

WILLIAM H. GUIER,  
Brevet Brig. Gen. U. S. A.

GEORGE SEWELL,  
Chief Engineer U. S. Navy.

Committee,  
By order of Major-General Henry W. Slocum, U. S. Vol., Commander.

CHARLES A. CARLETON,  
Brevet Brig. Gen. U. S. Vol., Recorder.

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Jan. 20, 1882.

To the EDITOR OF THE POST:

Will you allow a colored citizen of North Carolina enough space in your paper for the following. While we see in your paper and other leading papers in the state the school question discussed so ably in reference to text books, &c., we see nothing said in regard to teachers and their salary, and upon this subject we would like to speak. After deciding what text books should be used, our second thought ought to be about teachers. We must have good teachers, and how is it to be accomplished, and it ought to be looked into.

Respectfully, C. O. M.

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Wood has been cheap the past week in this market; selling from \$2.25 to \$8 per cord.

The body of a colored man was found drowned in the river opposite this city on Monday last.

Mr. John Newton has resigned the light house at Bald Head, and Mr. Ross has been appointed.

A small colored boy, named Castle Lawrence, was sent to jail on Wednesday, charged with stealing a copper still pipe.

The Post is only \$2.00 per annum.

The widow of the late Isaac B. Grimes and Mr. William L. Smith, Jr., were married in this city on Tuesday, the 10th instant.

Dr. C. T. Murphy, a prominent citizen of Sampson, and well known in Wilmington, died at his home in Olin-ton on Sunday last.

Mr. Edward Kidder met with quite a painful accident a few days ago. He stepped on something which slipped and sprained his ankle.

Mrs. A. J. Shaw, and W. M. Monroe of Bladen county, were in the city last week. These gentlemen give splendid accounts of matters in old Bladen.

Mr. J. H. Dosher has been appointed Keeper of the Frying Pan Light Ship. Mr. Dosher is a young man of ability, and we have very little doubt but what he will make a good officer.

Bishop Kane, of Richmond, delivered a lecture Tuesday night, at St. Thomas' Catholic Church, to a large audience, on the subject of "The Bible, the New Revision, and the Catholic Church. He is an able and gifted orator.

DEATHS DURING THE WEEK.—The deaths and interments during the past week were as follows: In Oakdale, more. In Bellevue, B. S. Carter, malarial fever. In Pine Forest, John Blackman, 65 years, of kidney disease; Lewis Davis, 25 years, dropsy.

THE SHERIFF'S TAX RETURNS FOR 1881.—Sheriff Manning on Tuesday settled with the County Commissioners for the taxes for 1881, as follows:

School Fund, \$13,594.66  
General Fund, \$3,264.71  
Special Fund, \$7,054.33

Total, \$55,913.70

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At the annual meeting of the Christian Association of the Front Street M. E. Church, Tuesday night, W. W. Hodges was elected President, Thos. E. Davis, Vice-President, Jas. W. King, Secretary, Mrs. M. E. Parker, Treasurer, and Miss Lizzie Kelley, Mrs. W. W. Hodges and Miss M. A. West, committee for visiting the poor and distributing funds.

Mr. George W. Gates, the very excellent master machinist of the Western N. C. Railroad, was in our city for a very short time last week. He speaks highly of the future prospects of his road. He has many friends in this city who would have been delighted to find him made his stay longer here. But he is a thorough business man and will not neglect his duties for his own or others' happiness.

A colored man from South Carolina, named R. A. Bull, was inveigled into a house on North Water street, a few nights since, by a colored woman named Alice Fairchild, who claimed to be his cousin, and robbed of \$35. An officer afterwards recovered \$40 of the money, which was found concealed in one of the girl's pillows, and she is now luxuriating in the county jail, where she will await her trial at the next term of the Criminal Court.

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Don't forget to have the whole family vaccinated at once, it is our advice to all. It is true there is no small-pox in the city, but Norfolk, Richmond, Philadelphia, Chicago, Chattanooga and other cities have got it and our citizens should be fully prepared before we get it. It do no harm to be vaccinated if the small-pox don't get here; should it be introduced in the city, then the ordinary precautions will be exceedingly beneficial.

A PETITION.—Mr. Joe Sneed has a petition in circulation, which has already been numerously signed, asking an appointment as messenger for the Treasury Department at Washington. Mr. Sneed, it will be remembered, met with the misfortune of having his hand blown off entirely, and the other partially, by the premature discharge of a pistol while firing a salute in honor of the late President



## THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, JAN. 22, 1882.

In the February number of the *North American Review*, Prof. George P. Fisher of the Yale Divinity School, whose writings on the supernatural origin of Christianity and on ecclesiastical history are well known, come to the defense of the Christian Religion against the attacks of modern doubts and infidelity. No able or more eminent advocate for the orthodox faith could be summoned into the controversy that has lately been waged on this high theme, and it is not too much to say that Prof. Fisher justifies every expectation by the vigor and clearness with which he handles the subject. He disclaims, however, the position of a debater, and makes no direct reference to Col. Ingerson's assaults, although he necessarily deals with the objections so brilliantly and audaciously presented by that doughty combatant. He proceeds in a very orderly manner to maintain a series of positions in regard to the origin, essential character and benevolent effects of the Christian faith, which are intended in themselves to furnish the answer to all objections and cavils. In the first place he takes advantage of the position that Christianity is no new thing whose present existence calls for justification or apology. It is inwrought with the very fibre and substance of the best part of modern institutions and civilization, and has contributed more than any other force to making them what they are. We are impressively invited to imagine what they would have been without its agency. The difficulties which it presents, some of them of a very perplexing character, are frankly acknowledged, and differences of interpretation and understanding are alluded to as something inseparable from the action of the human mind in dealing with any system, complex in its details and bearings, however simple in its character and purpose. The idea that Christianity may be a bane to mankind is very effectually disposed of by an appeal to history and the experience of the race, in tracing the development of Divine Revelation and the gradual establishment of the religion of which Christianity is the consummation. Prof. Fisher gives a very broad interpretation to the idea of inspiration in the writings which contain his record and his protests. Thereby he is enabled to meet with skill and effect some of the most telling arguments of the skeptic and the infidel. He claims, for instance, that the Divine method was to select a chosen people and lead them gradually up to the plane upon which the fullness of truth could be revealed to them with a possibility of being received and propagated. There was no sudden transformation of human nature, no violent sweeping away of old institutions and miraculous introduction of a new system, to which there must be a sudden and complete adaptation of mankind, equivalent almost to a new creation of the race; but instead of that the chosen people were dealt with as men of their own era, and those that surrounded or came in contact with them were similarly treated according to the requirements of the stage of progress reached from time to time. Hence the evils or abuses characteristic of ancient days were not suddenly rooted out, but were restrained and mitigated, while the forces were set at work which were to effect their final annihilation. This idea of the gradualness of revelation and the modified character of inspiration avoids a vast array of difficulties, but at the same time it approximates the process of religious development to that of political and social development and the growth of civilization generally. To many minds it will seem in so small measure to abolish the distinction between religious revelation and the general supervision of human affairs which all devout men's attribute to the Deity.

In dealing with the facts and doctrines of Christianity, Prof. Fisher displays much of the same breadth of method. While he resolutely maintains the genuineness and credibility of the miracles of the Saviour and the Divine character of the Gospel record, his arguments regarding the authenticity, substantial harmony, and essential truth as to facts of the New Testament scriptures, are such as would be applied to any other controverted writings. Considered in that light they are well nigh conclusive, but they are in some respects quite different from what we have been accustomed to in religious controversy. The testimony of the disciples is tested as human testimony, and the records treated as subject to the ordinary accidents and incidents of literature. All this, of course, does not affect the essential character of Christian revelation or the religious belief and practice that is founded upon it. In dealing with these, the learned writer has a strong case, and presents it with much vigor and force. His contribution to the controversy will be regarded with great interest, as furnishing the latest statement of orthodox views in what may be regarded as an authoritative form. Taking it as such, not the least part of its value will be found in the evidence it affords of the progressive character of the most strict orthodoxy thought of the day.

Other articles in the February number of the Review are: "Do the spoils belong to the victor?" by President Andrew D. White; "a remedy for railway disease," by Isaac L. Rice; "repudiation in Virginia," by Senator John W. Johnson; and "the law and the law," by Henry Borth.

Mrs. Partington says  
Don't take any of the quack nostrums,  
as they are regressive to the human species; but put your trust in Hop Bitters, which will cure general dyspepsis,  
constipation and all comic diseases. They saved lives from a severe attack of typhoid fever. They are the  
true panacea of medicine.—*Editor*.

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THE WILMINGTON POST.

WILMINGTON, N. C.  
SUNDAY MORNING, JAN. 22, 1882.

MAKING STEAKS TENDER.—The following recipe for making tender beef-steak is published for the benefit of those who buy steaks from butchers who sell tough beef—our butcher always keeps nice, tender juicy beef.—Put three tablespoonsful of salad oil and one tablespoonful of vinegar, well mixed together, on a large flat dish and on this lay the steak. Salt must never be put on steak before it is cooked. The steak must lie on this tender-making mixture for at least half an hour to a side. The toughest steak will succumb to this and be perfectly tender when cooked.

SPLICED DURING THE WEEK.—The following marriage licenses were issued by the Register of Deeds during the past week: Edwin J Thorpe and Miss Jennie H Brink; Andrew Christian Nielsen and Miss Josephine Rowland; Geo W Hardwick and Miss Elvyn M Fenny; Wm F Keen and Miss Clara H Newton; O P Corbett and Miss Mary A Bender; Nelson Bowden and Miss Lucy Martin; John A Holland and Miss Sarah H Denton; Andrew J Walker and Miss Florence W Taylor; John H Holt and Miss Phyllis Williams.

DEEDS, MORTGAGES, &c.—The following deeds and mortgages were probated by the proper officers during the past week: Deeds—J H Masburn to W A Cumming; Kate Mabson to Lewis H Paine; John F Garrell and wife to J R Melton; G R French & Sons to T B Stanly; S C E F Barnes to J B Beckwith; Lewis Thompson to L Voller; R E Calder, trustee, to R Evans, (Bladen); R E Calder, trustee, to D A Pitman, (Bladen); M A Clark to E M Griffin, (Union); J D Williams, Sr., wife et al, to W S Farmer, (Wayne); D Cutlar, receiver, to A D Bordeau; Sarah A Beckardt to J G Norwood; Susan A Redding to M T Costic. Mortgages—Thomas Lewis to Kerchner & Calder Bros; Wm M Monroe to J F Garrell; Gasper Spicer and others to John F Shepard; W H Howe and wife to R S Radcliffe; J A and D Mautby to Kerchner & Calder Bros; E T Johnson to R Johnson; H C Prempert to L Voller.

Jno F Garrell to Geo Patterson, deed of agreement.

B L Holden and others, to Jos R Russ, deed of compromise.

John F Garrell to J P Stringfield, release.

Mr Joshua G Wright took out letters of administration upon the estate of E F Eyden, deceased.

SMITHVILLE, N. C., Jan. 17, 1882. EDITOR POST.—We have observed that quite a change has taken place in the last several months, in recognizing the claims of our race. It has been the case that none of our colored citizens held a position, either under state or federal authority. But now we see, by the liberality of our leading Republicans, that there has been several colored men recommended to hold government positions, and that our highly esteemed friend, Hon. W. P. Canaday, the champion of civil liberty, has recognized them. Here we see to-day Joseph Spells wearing the badge of Customs service, and filling that position with credit to himself and his race, and a full crew of boatmen, all colored men; also, that colored men have been recommended for other appointments.

Now this change is but just and fair, and seems to give general satisfaction. We are, &c.,

COLORED CITIZENS OF BRUNSWICK,  
WILIAM H. CRAIG.

GOLDSBORO, N. C., Jan. 19, 1882.

EDITOR POST.—We did not intend reaching this point so early, but we are here and are making some progress notwithstanding the very inclemency of the weather. We were met and welcomed by our mutual friends E. E. Smith, of the *Enterprise*, and G. T. Wason, of the *Goldsboro Star*, and have been the guest of these gentlemen and their families during our stay, and have been taken to visit the different schools of this place, and have listened with great care to their recitations and examined their writing, and am pleased to say these schools are in fine condition as any we have met in this state, especially those under the principalship of Hon. Miles Tucker, with E. E. Smith, J. C. Stevens, and Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Dickson, of Newbern. Some of their scholars are very young, but it would surprise you to see how far advanced they are, and how rapidly they are traveling after the older ones. This shows there has been no loss of time on the part of the above teachers in performing well their duty.

I cannot close this article without special mention of our pleasure while at Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Smith's. If one should be fortunate enough to stop there, however brief his visit might be, and not say like one of old, it was good to be there, it would be because he or she was not used to the fine people of his world.

GOALS.

The Post is only \$2.00 per annum.

WILMINGTON, N. C., Jan. 14, 1882.

EDITOR WILMINGTON POST.—I promised you in my communication from Tarboro that I would write you again from this place, but fear I have reached here too late for your issue of the 16th. I have just arrived here from a visit up the Raleigh and Gaston railroad to Littleton, Warrenton, Kinston, Henderson and Franklin, and had a splendid time with all our friends, Republicans, Democrats and everybody else—all treated me kindly indeed. A leading Democrat took great pleasure in introducing me to his Democratic friends, and said there was the best chance in that section to make new recruits, now, that he ever knew of, and thought now was a good time for me to begin. Having a few extra copies of the Post with me I handed them around and put some to reading and some to listening, which they all seemed to enjoy very much. One gentleman remarked that he was bred, born and reared a Democrat, and had every time voted that ticket, but would never vote it again, and that he spoke the sentiments of many, and that the Post would henceforth be a welcome visitor in that section. I informed them that we would try to make the supply equal to the demand, with such readable matter as would prove beneficial to the farmer, mechanic, merchant laborer, and, in fact, to all who would accept wholesome advice. We then gathered you a few subscribers, received the cash, gave receipts and left.

While at Littleton I met with the postmaster, Mr. Winfield Young, who took me to his residence and gave me an introduction to his family, with whom I enjoyed my stay very much, as I did when at our mutual friends, John T. Reynolds, at Enfield, and the Hon. W. P. Mabson, at Tarboro. He and Mrs. Mabson certainly made things pleasant for me while in that beautiful little thriving town. Mr. Mabson enjoys very largely the confidence of all the people of his county and district, without regard to party affiliation, there seems to be a general feeling in his favor to make him either sheriff or congressman. He got us about fifty subscribers to the Post while there.

I enclose you from here and elsewhere a very respectable list, who wish to be posted with the Wilmington Post.

Thanking you for past favors, we are

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REPUBLICANISM FOR THE FUTURE.  
FAYETTEVILLE, N. C., Jan. 17, 1882.

MR. EDITOR.—Aside from recent business engagements, your correspondent has had occasional opportunity to interrogate various politicians and voters relative to Cumberland's political attitude, which it is gratifying to note is obviously settled, for the drift of popular sentiment is magnificently in favor of enfranchising anew the Republican party and its cherished principles. On all sides it is generally acknowledged that the best government that North Carolina has seen for a decade, existed when the Republican party was at the helm of state.

Those who have labored for the past aggrandizement of the Democratic party and supported its nominees with eloquent fervor, are among the first to complain of the brazen and onerous methods lately employed by that party, and emphatically assert that they will no longer tolerate such despotic rule. The Democratic party holding the state government for the past five years has steadily encroached upon the rights and liberties of the people, using its vast power to further its own party ends, while it has done nothing for the promotion of the general weal.

LEGISLATIVE ENACTMENTS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY HAVE BECOME PUBLIC PERILS, OBNOXIOUS AMONG THEM IS THAT ACT WHOLLY DISFRANCHISING THE ELECTORS FROM VOTING FOR MAGISTRATES AND COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, A SCHEME NOT DEVISED FOR THE COMMON WELFARE, BUT FOR THE PEACEFUL PURPOSE OF CRUSHING REPUBLICAN MAJORITY IN THE EASTERN COUNTIES OF THE STATE, A PLAN WHICH HAS WELL CARRIED OUT ITS ORIGINAL DESIGN, AT THE SAME TIME IT HAS BEEN THE MEANS OF IMPOSING DEMOCRATIC OFFICIALS IN MANY COUNTIES WHO PROVED ANTAGONISTIC TO THE WILL OF THEIR CONSTITUENTS, FOR THE GOOD PEOPLE OF OLD CUMBERLAND HAVE CERTAINLY SUFFERED FROM THE PEVILY PRACTICED UPON THEM BY AN INFLEXIBLE SET OF DEMOCRATIC COUNTY COMMISSIONERS, BUT THEY HAVE NOBLY ENDURED THEM AND WILL CONTINUE TO DO SO FOR THE PRESENT, REALIZING THAT THE TIME WILL SOON MATURE WHEN THEY CAN HAIL WITH GLAD ACCLAIM THE DAY OF RETRIBUTION, WHEN DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS, THE ALLIES OF OUR COMMON SENSE, STRUGGLING FOR LIBERTY WILL GO FORTH UNDER THE ASCENDING FLAG OF REPUBLICANISM, AND PROCLAIM BY THEIR VOICES THAT NORTH CAROLINA BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE AND NOT TO THE KING MASTERS OF THE DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

A member of the House committee on Ways and Means has said that the outlook for any important action of Congress at the present session on tariff measures was not very promising.—He said that the committee discussed the tariff issue in all its phases, and virtually concluded to take no action on such matters until assured of the vote of the pending tariff commission proposition. "Should the efforts to refer the subject to a commission fail," he added, "it is probable that the commission will propose a bill to indicate such recommendations as are demanded by the committee, and the committee will report it to the House for action."

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

JANUARY 16.  
SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Sales reported of 50 casks at 51 cents, and 300 dozen at 51 cents, closing firm at the latter figures.

ROSIN.—Market steady at \$2.00 for Strained and \$2.05 for Good Strained, with sales at quotations, being an advance of 5 cents on last reports.

TAR.—Quoted firm at \$2.20 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Firm at \$2.50 for Hard, \$4.00 for Yellow Dip and \$3.20 per bbl for Virgin; a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin. Sales at quotations.

COTTON.—Market firm, with sales reported of 300 bales on a basis of 11½ cts.

The following were the official quotations of the day:

Ordinary, 8 13-16 cts. P. B.  
Good Ordinary, 10 3-16 " "  
Low Middling, 11 1-16 " "  
Middling, 11 1/2 " "  
Good Middling, 11 1/2 " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 560 bales  
Spirits Turpentine, 152 casks  
Rosin, 1621 bales  
Tar, 152 bales  
Crude Turpentine, 58 bales

January 17.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—The market opened and closed firm at 52 cents per gallon, with sales of 200 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—Steady at \$2.00 for Strained and \$2.05 for Good Strained, with sales of 700 bales reported at \$2.05 per bbl for Good Strained.

TAR.—Firm at \$2.20 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Firm at \$2.50 for Hard, \$4.00 for Yellow Dip and \$3.20 per bbl for Virgin; a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin. Sales at quotations.

COTTON.—Market firm, with sales reported of 350 bales on a basis of 11½ cts.

The following were the official quotations of the day:

Ordinary, 8 13-16 cts. P. B.  
Good Ordinary, 10 3-16 " "  
Low Middling, 11 1-16 " "  
Middling, 11 1/2 " "  
Good Middling, 11 1/2 " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 719 bales  
Spirits Turpentine, 250 casks  
Rosin, 2325 bales  
Tar, 275 bales  
Crude Turpentine, 64 bales

January 18.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Firm at 52 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 280 casks at that price.

ROSIN.—Market dull at \$2.00 for Strained, with no sales to report.

TAR.—Firm at \$2.20 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Firm at \$2.50 for Hard, \$4.00 for Yellow Dip and \$3.20 per bbl for Virgin; a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin. Sales at quotations.

COTTON.—Market firm, with small sales reported on a basis of 11½ cts.

The following were the official quotations of the day:

Ordinary, 8 13-16 cts. P. B.  
Good Ordinary, 10 3-16 " "  
Low Middling, 11 1-16 " "  
Middling, 11 1/2 " "  
Good Middling, 11 1/2 " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 633 bales  
Spirits Turpentine, 137 casks  
Rosin, 1419 bales  
Tar, 31 " "  
Crude turpentine, 152 " "

January 19.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market firm at 52 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 200 casks at that price, closing steady.

ROSIN.—Market dull at \$2.00 for Strained, and \$2.05 for Good Strained, with no sales to report.

TAR.—Firm at \$2.20 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Firm at \$2.50 for Hard, \$4.00 for Yellow Dip and \$3.20 per bbl for Virgin; a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin. Sales at quotations.

COTTON.—Market firm, with sales of 500 bales on a basis of 11½ cts. The following were the official quotations of the day:

Ordinary, 8 13-16 cts. P. B.  
Good Ordinary, 10 3-16 " "  
Low Middling, 11 1-16 " "  
Middling, 11 1/2 " "  
Good Middling, 11 1/2 " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 537 bales  
Spirits turpentine, 227 casks  
Rosin, 2959 bales  
Tar, 303 " "  
Crude turpentine, 232 " "

January 20.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Market dull at 52 cents per gallon, with sales reported of 160 casks at 51 cents, closing firm at the decline.

ROSIN.—Market steady at \$2.05 for Strained, and \$2.10 for Good Strained, with sales as offered.

TAR.—Firm at \$2.20 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Firm at \$2.50 for Hard, \$4.00 for Yellow Dip and \$3.20 per bbl for Virgin; a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin. Sales at quotations.

COTTON.—Market firm, with sales reported of 350 bales on a basis of 11½ cts.

The following were the official quotations of the day:

Ordinary, 8 13-16 cts. P. B.  
Good Ordinary, 10 3-16 " "  
Low Middling, 11 1-16 " "  
Middling, 11 1/2 " "  
Good Middling, 11 1/2 " "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton, 537 bales  
Spirits turpentine, 227 casks  
Rosin, 2959 bales  
Tar, 303 " "  
Crude turpentine, 232 " "

January 21.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.—Buyers and sellers apart. No sales reported.

ROSIN.—Steady at \$2.05 for Strained and \$2.10 for Good Strained, with sales at quotations.

TAR.—Firm at \$2.20 per bbl of 280 lbs, with sales at quotations.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market firm at \$2.50 for Hard, \$4.00 for Yellow Dip and \$3.20 per bbl for Virgin; a reduction of one-fifth on Virgin. Sales at quotations.

COTTON.—Market firm, with sales reported of 350 bales on a basis of 11½ cts.

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